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## Hockey Games Causing Keen Speculation—Coleman Now Heads League

Coleman Canadians Backed by Home Fans to Clinch Championship after Four Years' Effort.

Speculation is rife on the outcome of the Crow League hockey series. With the last game of the 1932 season of the series, Coleman stood with 10 points, Blairmore 4 and Bellevue 2. Blairmore have claimed since the opening of the season that they have been playing with a weakened team. Presumably they have other players in store for the last half of the series. After four years of supremacy as league champions, it is not likely they will surrender that position without a determined effort. Several of their regular players of past seasons have not appeared, with the result that the Bearcats scoring has suffered. The remaining games will be productive of keen interest. Coleman is banking on winning the league this season, even though it has three or four players recruited from the junior ranks. If more finished combination playing is developed on the team, they will have very good chances to win. There are nine more games to play after Jan. 3, so there is plenty of time for present indications to be knocked sky-high.

### PIRATES DEFEAT ACES 1-0

On Thursday, Dec. 22, the "Aces" met with a one to nil defeat by the "Pirates." The game was fast from beginning to end. The one goal for the "Pirates" was scored by W. Trotz. If Gentile had not been such a clever net-minder the "Aces" would have met with a bigger defeat. Line-up of the teams:  
"Pirates"—Coccolone; Dickson and Glendenning; Trotz, Roughhead, Spivak; Fraser, F. Fraser, Brennan.  
"Aces"—Gentile; Atkinson, G. Ruckton; J. Ruckton, Favalon; Foyle, Ash and Dunlop.  
T. Dececco, referee.

## New Year Message From Mayor Pattinson

To the People of Coleman—

I do not need to bring before you that we have passed through one of the most trying and hardest years of our history, and that there has been and still is a certain amount of poverty in our midst. But thanks to all the good-hearted citizens who have helped to alleviate distress to a very large extent, it has again demonstrated just what can be accomplished by united effort.

I sincerely trust that 1933 will have better things in store, and I take this opportunity of thanking all who have in any way contributed anything that has made it easier for the council and myself to function in 1932.

I sincerely wish you all a very Happy and Prosperous New Year.

Sincerely yours,  
GEORGE PATTINSON,  
Mayor of Coleman

## Suicide at Blairmore

Frank Amato, aged 39 years, committed suicide at his home in Blairmore at 2 p.m., Wed. Jan. 4, by blowing off the top of his head with a shotgun. He leaves a wife and six children, some of whom are reported to live at the coast.

He was seated in the kitchen talking with relatives, when he arose and went into the pantry, where the shotgun was kept. Very shortly after an explosion was heard, and he was found dead from the shot which had been self-inflicted.

There will be a meeting of Coleman Girl Guides Association on Tuesday, Jan. 10th, at 7 p.m., in the home of Mrs. J. A. McLeod. It is requested that all members be present.

The Journal office can find your orders for commercial stationery

## Over 600 Children Met Santa Claus and Receive Him With Enthusiasm

Distribution of Candies and Fruit Attracts Large Number of Children.

Over 500 eager, laughing children greeted Santa Claus in the opera house on Monday morning, shortly after 10 a.m. The old gentleman, who had a busy time over the week-end, despite being very tired, made a special trip by airplane on Monday, but through a forced landing was cracked up somewhat. He was taken to the hospital, and his bruises and bumps smoothed over, following which he was pushed over to the opera house in a wheel chair, smiling and good natured as ever.

He was greeted by the children singing "O Canada" and then as each child filed past his improvised throne, he distributed bags of candy and fruit. Many children were so thrilled over seeing Santa in person, that they lingered for a good long look, while the bolder ones even shook hands with the genial Santa.

The distribution was made through the generosity of Coleman Citizens Relief Committee, the members of the executive assisting Santa in handing out the well filled bags.

### DR. DE LONG BREAKS INTO POETRY.

The following will cause a ripple of interest and a few smiles among those who knew Dr. DeLong during his practice here:

I often think of Coleman,  
The city of the hills;  
And I think of Dr. Borden,  
And the medicines and pills.

I think of the Grand Union,  
And the owner, William Bell;  
His telling all and sundry  
That they can go to Blairmore.

And of the frequent arguments  
That rise to fever heat,  
About two in the morning  
With both men on their feet.

I think of Billy Jenkins,  
The dining-room and all;  
And the graceful-looking trio  
Who were over by the wall.

The Bippens and the Morrisons,  
The Lonsdale family, too;  
And also, Mr. Editor,  
I sometimes think of you.

The McBurneys, Grahams and Creegans,  
With thoughts sincerely kind,  
Come back to me; for better friends  
Are very hard to find.

And Frankie on the corner  
Who sometimes cut my hair,  
Was a bright spot on the midway  
With his kindly, cheery air.

Of many other people  
And many other things,  
I feel like reminiscing  
And taking off on wings.

To see your genial faces,  
To meet you on the street;  
To wish you a Merry Christmas  
And a Happy New Year Greet.

Wetaskiwin, Dec. 25, 1932.

### Caledonian Society Christ- mas Tree Entertainment

Coleman Caledonian Society held a Christmas tree entertainment in the K. of P. hall on Friday evening, Dec. 23. Margaret Robert was the chairwoman and arranged a very interesting program of songs, recitations and other numbers. Santa Claus was a welcome visitor, distributing bags of candy and presents from the tree.

A dance was held later in the evening at which many of the older members spent an enjoyable hour. Mason's orchestra played. Refreshments served by the ladies rounded out a very jolly evening.

### UNITED CHURCH CHRISTMAS TREE

On Dec. 21 the annual Christmas tree entertainment was attended by a large number of Sunday school children and parents, at which Mr. James Fairhurst, superintendent, presided.

The beautifully decorated tree was the centre of admiration, creating eager anticipation among the children. Each teacher was responsible for preparing her class to give a number on the program, which was as follows:

Primary song, "Away in a Manger"; recitation, "A Child's Hardship," by Shirley Clary; recitation, "Vincennes," by a group of Happy Chiefs; recitation by Pat Emmertson; selection, "Santa Claus is Coming," by three little girls; cantata, "The Story of the Star," recitation, Dorothy Cooke; "A Polish Carol," by Miss McDonald's group; recitation by Oliver Brown; playlet, "Christmas in Other Lands," three Christmas carols, Negro, Polish, Indian, by Mrs. Taylor's group; playlet, "Strong Winds Choice," by Mrs. Taylor's group.

Santa Claus distributed bags of candy and fruit to the children, and the program was well carried out, reflecting credit on teachers and scholars.

## Local News

The editor of The Journal acknowledges Christmas messages of goodwill from many friends, and expresses his sincere appreciation for these kind remembrances.

Miss Hilda Fairhurst, of Lethbridge Nursing Mission, spent Christmas Day with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Fairhurst. Miss Edna Fairhurst spent part of the Christmas vacation visiting friends in Calgary.

J. H. Boulton returned last week from Smith's Falls, Ont., after attending the funeral of his mother whom many friends here will remember as having visited here two or three years ago.

A meeting of the executive of the Crow's Nest Pass Citizens League was held in the Greenhill hotel on Dec. 20, when important matters were discussed in connection with the municipal elections in February.

A realistic Santa Claus delighted the children of the public schools before closing on Dec. 21. He was riding on a gallant charger, and caused keen excitement as he rode around the school grounds.

Students at Alberta University who spent Christmas holidays at their homes here include: Belle Flynn, Adelaide Whiteside, Gwen Brown, Jean McDonald, Margaret Allan, Ivor Morgan, Chris Haysman, and the Calgary normal school, Lena Godfrey, Mildred Higginbotham, Gladys Moores, Steve Onkras, Bob Pattinson came from Alberta College, Edmonton, for the Christmas holidays.

## Generous Plan of Debt Re- payment Arranged by Imperial Oil Ltd.

Debt adjustment and interest reduction is dealt with in an advertisement in this issue, over the signature of Imperial Oil Limited. The subject matter is of more than ordinary interest. Recognizing the adverse conditions under which western farmers have labored, payment of debts incurred in 1929 and 1930 will be extended over a period of five years, beginning Oct. 1, 1933, and interest charges are cancelled on farm debts, from the time of their incurrence. Four per cent interest is the rate to be charged, and wheat prices each year will regulate the payments.

Though individual obligations are small, Imperial Oil states that in view of conditions, when through no fault of their own, farmers' incomes have been greatly reduced, the Company believes that they should be given all possible assistance by deferred payment, by low interest charges and by prorating their obligations to their earning ability.

The plan is evidence of the progressive policy of Imperial Oil Limited and its desire to co-operate in a material way to solve some of the pressing debt problems under which farmers are suffering.

## Burns' Anniversary Banquet Friday, January 27

There is one night when the clans throughout the entire world foregather to celebrate the anniversary of the famous Scottish bard, "Rabbie" Burns. If you are not one of the elect, you may be permitted to attend on sufferance, but you will enjoy yourself and receive inspiration from hearing the poems of the immortal poet honored.

Coleman Caledonian Society will observe the anniversary here, and last year's celebration is still a very pleasant and enjoyable memory to those who attended. Tickets are now being circulated by James Park, secretary and if Scots desire to attend, they had better secure their tickets early before even the standing room is sold out.

### ST. ALBAN'S CHURCH NOTES

Next Sunday, the first Sunday after the Epiphany, the services will be—12.30 p.m. Sunday School, 7 p.m. Evensong.

### IN MEMORIAM

In Loving Memory of Edward R. Driver, beloved son of Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Driver, who was accidentally killed on Jan. 7, 1931, at Granite, B. C.

Absent from our lives, but not from our hearts.

Ever remembered by his loving parents and brothers and sisters.

## Carlers Settled Down to Regular Schedule After The Christmas Holidays

Rinks Practising in Anticipation of Crow's Nest Bonspiel to be Held at Farnie.

Now that the Christmas holidays are over, the curlers are settling down to "brass tacks" and more interest is being aroused than for some years. The fourteen skips are J. Moores, S. Moores, J. A. McLeod, H. C. McBurney, W. L. Rippin, G. Dickson, T. Jackson, F. G. Creegan, J. H. Boulton, Ed. Leduc, J. S. D'Appolonia, J. Bell, J. Emmerson, Wes. Vincent. These stalwarts have strong rinks and it is likely there will be quite a formidable array line up for the annual bonspiel at Farnie, as a warm welcome is always extended to visitors by that progressive city.

The midnight frolics on Christmas and New Year's nights in the Odd-fellows hall, Bellevue, were attended by large numbers, Christmas night drawing the larger crowd. Splendid music was furnished by the Arcadians orchestra, and the dances were under the management of Mr. Kenneth Blain. A special Greyhound coach from Coleman took people from Coleman and Blairmore on both nights.

A poem on the King's broadcast from London on Christmas Day, composed by Albert E. Knowles, will appear in the next issue of The Journal.

To my Customers and Friends  
in Coleman and the Pass Towns,  
I extend Sincere Wishes for the  
New Year, and trust it will  
bring better times for all.

We embark on the new year  
with faith and confidence.

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## THE NEW YEAR 1933

Opens with prospects for improved conditions in which we trust all will share. We commence this new year with renewed determination to serve Coleman people with the same high quality goods at lowest market prices as in the past, combined with our prompt delivery service

## Specials

Good only for January 6, 7 and 9

Blue Ribbon Tea, per lb	39c	Palm Olive Soap, 4 cakes for	25c
Malkin's Best Coffee, per lb	41c	Singapore Pineapple, 2 tins for	25c
Sockeye Salmon, tall size, 2 tins	65c	Christies Fig Bar Biscuits, 2 lbs	35c
Blue Ribbon Baking Powder, 3 lb tin	59c	Black Figs in bulk, 2 lbs for	25c
Purity Quick Oats (non-premium) per packet	19c	Shiriff's Pure Fruit Jelly, 12 oz. jars, each	25c

Fresh Fruits and Vegetables in Season at Reasonable Prices

## Meat Specials—Saturday Only

Jersey Special Creamery Butter, 3 lbs for	70c	Silverbright Salmon, 2 lbs for	25c
Fresh Pork Shoulder Roast, per lb	9c	Fresh Pork Leg Roast, per lb	12c
		Fresh Pork Loin Roast, per lb	12c
		Pot Roast Beef and Veal, per lb	10c

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### WEEK-END SPECIALS

Knapire or Dominion Bacon, by the piece, per lb.	17c
Cottage Roll, per lb.	18c
Pork Sausage, Fresh and Delicious, 2 lbs for.	25c
Fresh Tomato Sausage, per lb.	15c
Pork Shoulder Steak, 2 lbs	25c
Fresh Side Pork, per lb.	08c

### EXTRA SPECIAL IN BEEF

Sirloin and T-Bone Steak, per lb.	15c
Round Steak, per lb.	15c
Stew Beef, 3 lbs for	25c
Pot Roast Beef, per lb.	10c

### 50c SPECIAL

2 lbs of Sirloin or Round Steak, 1 lb of Tomato Sausage, Half pound of Bacon. ALL FOR	50c
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1 lb Dominion Sliced Bacon, 1 lb Tip Top Butter, 2 lbs Pork Sausage, 4 lbs Pork Shoulder or Veal Pot Roast. ALL FOR	\$1.00
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## Bread

Do you ever get out the jam pot and sit down to a good old lunch of bread and jam?

Try it. It's an experience worth while.

Nothing like bread to satisfy a real appetite—

Eat Bread with jam, with jelly, with butter, with anything.

## MOTHER'S BREAD

is a really delicious loaf.

Bread is your Best Food—Eat more of it.

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## Her Heart Was Weak Nerves Shaky, Nights Restless

Mrs. A. Black, Wallaceburg, Ont., writes:—  
"I suffered from heart weakness, shaky nerves, and restless nights."

I saw your advertisement for Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills and decided to try them although I did not have much faith, but now I am very thankful I did as they have proved of wonderful help to me.

I am now strong and well again, but am never without a box in the house."

For sale at all drug and grocery stores; put up only by The T. Milburn Co., Ltd., Toronto, Ont.

## Paying The War Debt

Great Britain's war debt to the United States was the subject of a recent article in this column in which it was pointed out that that debt was contracted by Britain, not finance its own war expenditures, but in order to enable it to bolster up its Allies who had reached the end of their financial resources. The fact was further noted that the United States did not lend gold to Britain for this purpose, but extended credit for the purchase of supplies of all kinds in the United States, thus providing employment at high wages for United States workmen and producers, and very large profits to the people of that country out of the high war prices then prevailing. Attention was also drawn to the fact that, following the war, the United States insisted upon repayment of these credits in gold; that it refused to accept goods and services from Britain; and that, to prevent the possibility of repayment being made in goods it raised its tariff to prohibitive heights, thus largely shutting out British goods.

The further fact was noted that Great Britain had made a gallant attempt to meet all its obligations to the United States in gold, even under these almost impossible conditions, impoverishing its own people in so doing, and finally being forced to abandon the gold standard, while at the same time in order to prevent the complete collapse of Europe it agreed to practically wipe out all payments due to Britain by Germany. In conclusion, we submitted that the time has arrived when Great Britain, unable any longer to make payment in gold, should say to the United States that, while it was in no sense repudiating its debt, because of the impossibility of continuing gold payments it would refrain from making any further payments except in the same manner as the United States provided the credit, namely, in goods and services.

This particular article came to the notice of a paper published in Montana, which reproduced it in full, saying it was more moderate in its presentation of the British viewpoint than most papers, and that, in some ways the viewpoint expressed was reasonable enough but in other ways unintelligible to the U.S. citizen. Then, in a friendly way, this U.S. paper refers to the fact that "England seems able to devote some 460 millions annually to military purposes yet means pitifully at the thought of paying one-fifth of that sum on her debt over here." It then refers to France's expenditure of 641 millions on her war machine, Italy's 331 millions for a like purpose, etc.

One can, of course, appreciate this point of view on the part of U.S. people, but the fact must not be lost sight of that Great Britain has reduced her military expenditures to a greater extent than any other country; that, with a world-encircling Empire, she is spending less, not only proportionately but actually, than the United States, much less than France, and that she is the foremost advocate of disarmament in the world today. Be it noted, too, that the one-fifth payment mentioned by this U.S. paper has to be made every six months, therefore it is actually equal to two-fifths of Britain's military expenditures. Furthermore, the military expenditures do not have to be met in payments of gold, but in pay to thousands of soldiers and sailors, clothing, food and equipment for them, thus maintaining thousands of families that would otherwise have to be supported by relief expenditures. But Uncle Sam's refusal to supply any and all kinds of demands and gold, nothing but gold, which Britain no longer possesses in the quantities required because it is now stored away in vaults in the United States and France.

This U.S. paper says further that people outside the United States are prone to forget that some years ago the United States scaled down the amounts due by all its debtor nations. True, but in the scaling down what happened? We have here a statement of the amounts owing by all nations to the United States prior to the payments of December 18. It shows that Great Britain owes \$4,800,000,000 principal and \$6,505,985,000 interest. That is, in its bargain with Britain the U.S. is to collect interest nearly one and one-half times greater than the principal sum. But in the case of France the U.S. asks only \$2,822,674,000 interest on a principal debt of 4,025,000,000, while in the case of Italy with a principal debt of \$2,042,000,000, the U.S. asks only \$365,677,000 in interest.

Or lumping all the debts together, the principal amount is \$11,922,354,000, of which Britain and France owe approximately one-third, while the interest amounts to \$10,621,185,000, of which amount Britain is called upon to pay \$6,505,985,000, or over two-thirds of the total. Where, we think it may well be asked, is the fairness in such a form of scaling down or of settlement?

Yet Britain is the one nation that is making the most determined effort to pay. It has not defaulted one payment, or one dollar. It has never even hinted at repudiation. All that was suggested in this column was that the United States give it a chance to pay in goods and services instead of gold, seeing that it is now utterly impossible to continue to pay in gold, always remembering that the United States did not lend gold to Britain but granted credits for goods and supplies of all kinds purchased in the United States, and a goodly percentage of which was actually paid to the United States Government in the form of income and other taxes imposed on the wealth thus created by Britain's purchases.

If the United States objects to any revision of the debt refunding agreement made with Britain; if it still persists in a tariff policy which makes it impossible for Britain to pay in goods and services, and insists on gold nothing but gold, then, we repeat, Britain will be fully justified in withholding gold payments,—which it is impossible for her to continue to make,—and let the debt stand until such time as the United States changes its policy.

If one man owed another for goods he had obtained from him and found, owing to circumstances entirely beyond his control, that he could not pay in cash but offered to pay in goods or other property he possessed, then every person would say the creditor should accept what his debtor was able and willing to pay; that it was the sensible, the business-like thing to do.

### Starts Air Ferry Service

Air ferry service will connect the Isle of Wight with the mainland of England beginning this summer. Multi-engine planes will be used, and the trip will take only seven minutes. The airports will be at Ryde, Isle of Wight, and Portsmouth, England, and connections will also be made with London. Interchangeable air and rail tickets will be supplied.

### Apple Has Red Pulp

Congressman-elect F. H. Shoemaker, Farmer-Laborite, after 12 years of amateur experimenting—burning as he terms it—in his back yard at Appleton, Wis., where he used to live, produced a russet apple with a red pulp.

### A Regular House Dog

John Robinson of Leek, England, celebrating his golden wedding anniversary, said that keeping peace in the family had been no problem at all—he stays home nights. For fifty years he has stayed home every night except one. "On that one night I sat up with a sick friend," he explains. He has never seen the sea or movies—too busy staying home nights.

### Thankfully Received

Friend: "Why are you so jubilant?" Country Editor: "I just received another fine contribution from Farmer Brown's pen." Friend: "Huh! What was it?" Country Editor: "A fine fat pig on subscription."

## Looking For New Job

Lord Mayor's Head Chef Has Enjoyed Year Of Hard Work

F. G. Bowles, chief of the Mansion House kitchen in London, England, has doffed his tall, white chef's hat and snowy coat and said goodbye to the Mansion House All through Sir Maurice Jenks' year of office as Lord Mayor, Mr. Bowles has presided over the kitchen. "It has been one of the hardest and happiest years of my life," said Mr. Bowles, who is only 37, and is looking for fresh cooking worlds to conquer. He pointed to a 350-years-old table in the kitchen and to the huge cook cooking range on which, if need be, he can prepare meals for 1,000 people at once. The King and Queen have utilized his strength of shining copper utensils and up-to-date cooking devices. "One of the outstanding events of the year," he said, "was when I made one of the biggest wedding cakes on record. This was for the wedding of the Lord Mayor's son. The cake weighed a quarter of a ton and stood seven feet high—much taller than myself. I used three-quarters of a hundredweight of sugar on it. It took most of my spare time for seven weeks" Mr. Bowles who is an artist in food, leaves nothing to chance. He says everything, tastes everything, and anticipates everything—such as the unexpected addition of about fifty more guests to dinner. He thinks nothing of a little tea party of 400 people. In his spare time he thinks of new dishes.

## 'Chinese Book Of Etiquette

Social Guide To Be Issued By Government

The Chinese Government has decided to issue an official book of etiquette to guide the people during these days of sweeping changes in the social system.

The Ministry of the interior has taken the matter in hand, and several leading officials of the Ministry are giving it their attention.

An official of the Ministry explained: "The rush of modernism has swept away many established Chinese social customs. Hybrid innovations have replaced them. There is no longer an approved 'right way' for doing anything."

"We propose, therefore, to standardize all important rituals, and to set rules for even the most ordinary situations. We are sure the people will appreciate guidance in such matters."

## Chance To Make Fortune

By Discovery Of Where Sprats Spread The Summer

Where do sprats go in the summer? There is a fortune for anyone who can find out.

Thousands of pounds have been spent by British Government departments and fishing companies in attempting to find where these little fish live during nine months of the year. "The man who finds the answer to the riddle will be a millionaire within a few months," said an official of the British Fishers' Association the other day.

"The sprat is found in British waters between November and February. Then he vanishes; no one has ever found him."

## Knew What She Wanted

Lawyer's Wife Gave Her Reason For Refusing Summons

The wife of a lawyer—a bride of three months—was somewhat surprised the other day when a strange man appeared at the door of her apartment and ascertaining her name, informed her that he had a summons for her.

"But I don't want any summons," protested the young woman.

"It isn't a question of your wanting it—you've got to take it," said the process server, handing her the paper.

"But I won't take it," again protested the bride. "My husband's lawyer, and if I want a summons I'll get him to give me one."

Persian Balm is irresistibly appealing to all women who appreciate natural and elegant. Its use keeps the complexion always clear and beautiful. Tonic effect stimulates the skin and makes it wonderfully soft and supple. Sifted and refined. Splendid also to protect the tender skin of the child.

Cotton and artificial silk material that cannot crease or wrinkle is now being made by a new manufacturing process.

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## Where Mother-In-Law Rules

No One Disputes Her Supreme Authority In China

One thing about China is that they can't understand any of the "mother-in-law" jokes of the Americans.

It so happens that in the land where chop suey is unknown the mother-in-law is the head of the family, according to Magruder Maury, professor of journalism, and once connected with Chinese newspapers.

"The mother-in-law in China is the supreme master of the destinies of the family circle," said Maury.

"She rules with an iron hand and plays an integral part in the social and business life of her son-in-law, which is a different picture we have of the down-trodden male."

"China may be easily called the land of the mother-in-law domination movement, although it is urged by our own members of that sex."

Maury said Chinese were not so deeply moved by joy and tragedy as we are, but he shows it in an altogether different way. Their ingratitude countenance is just as readable as our beaming smiles can be to those who understand them."

## Device Next Thing

To Perpetual Motion

Machine Produces Power Without Fuel Or Human Aid

The nearest thing to man's oldest and most futile dream—perpetual motion—was on exhibition at Grand Central Palace, New York, at the national exposition of power and mechanical engineering.

The machine produces power without fuel or human aid. Engineers said it was so near to perpetual motion that only an engineer could understand why it wasn't.

George H. Gibson, Philadelphia engineer, explained he "threw the machine together" in his spare time.

The machine works on a thermodynamic principle, utilizing water and vapor to produce its power. The vapors are invisible so the machine apparently operates without a source of energy.

Engineers explained the chief reason it was not perpetual motion was that its parts would wear out and that it could be stopped.

## Reason Coast City

Is Considered Rainy

Vancouver's Fall This Year Enough To Float Fleet Of Liners

Since Jan. 1, 1932, slightly over 180,000,791 tons of water have fallen on Vancouver.

And if all that rain had remained where it fell—instead of this bustling Pacific Coast seaport there would be a lake, 44 square miles in area and almost five feet deep.

And if it had been boxed up in a reservoir, say one-quarter that size, the "Empress of Japan," and all her sister ships could be floated upon it.

While Vancouver's annual rainfall can always float most of the boats that nose their way in and out the Narrows, this year has been more damp than usual.

Meteorological records show that the average yearly precipitation over a 25-year period there is 55.13 inches. But this year, with a month to go, it totalled 56.69 inches. So, it looks as though 1932 would go down in history as a really wet year.

## Adds Another Invention

Pioneer Of Brandon Has Several To His Credit

H. L. Powers, a pioneer of the city of Brandon, has added to his list of inventions with an ash container and incinerator. Mr. Powers settled in Brandon in 1881, and has to his credit a number of patents, including a four-horse even for a binder, a grain car door, two grain car unloaders, and a clothes line tightener.

He recently exhibited a model of the concrete incinerator for inspection, and it is said to be economical in construction and in operation. It is conceded to be a most sanitary way of disposing of garbage, and can serve four households in the same vicinity.

## Pensioners Must Stay Home

Retired German officials must stay in Germany if they wish to have their pensions. The government has informed those enjoying Mediterranean or other foreign resorts that unless they return within six months their pensions shall be forfeited. The object of the rule is to help in preserving Germany's foreign currency reserves.

A European naturalist declared recently that butterflies sing to their young.

## Game Warden's Fish Story

Salmon On Flooded Road Made Him Stop Car

Game Warden C. H. Pike, of Vancouver, has a new fish story and he sticks to it. He says that while driving his automobile along the Bose Road, near Cloverdale, ten miles east of New Westminster, he had to stop to let a salmon pass.

"I was driving along the flooded section of the road and noticed something moving in the water on the road ahead of me," related Pike. "I halted the car and waded along through the water to see what it was. Sure enough, it was a big salmon making slow progress along the road. When it saw me, of course, it started away, so I couldn't bring it home for thousands and evidence."

Thousands of acres in the Fraser and Serpentine Valley were under water as a result of recent floods. Mild weather melted the early snow in the hills and heavy rainfall in other sections contributed to the flow of water to the low land. Farmers in the Skagit River country, where roads in some places were two feet under water, are said to have made some good catches of fish in their hayfields.

## Kootenay National Park

Wondrous Natural Beauty Proves Great Attraction To Tourists

Kootenay National Park, established to preserve the natural beauty of the area along the western part of the famous Pan-American Highway, has many claims to the tourist. On each side of the highway nature's handicraft remains in all its vivid beauty. In the Sinclair section, where the motor enters from the west, sheer rock walls coloured in places with a brilliant red as if artificially stained with pigments, rise from the little stream. Deer, mountain sheep, elk, moose, and Rocky Mountain goat may be seen feeding fearlessly on the grassy slopes and practically every valley holds a sparkling lake or brook teeming with fish. At Sinclair are also the famous hot springs, renowned for the therapeutic value of their waters.

## One Reason For Advertising

Only Way Some People Know What Is For Sale

Modern life is much different today from what it was a decade ago. Today a great deal of buying is done over the telephone.

This in turn, means that opportunities for purchases advantageous to the buyers are now almost completely centred in newspaper advertising.

The modern housewife knows what she wants, knows by brand name, and orders in that manner—because advertising has taught her how she should do it, and why it is profitable for her to do so.

Imagine ordering from an unknown grocer: "Some breakfast food," "some bacon," "some coffee," "some bread," and so on, as in the olden days before national advertising became the powerful force it is today.

## Defects In Modern Ships

Underwriter Lists Hazards In Address To Naval Architects

S. D. McComb, an underwriter of marine insurance, said before the Society of Naval Architects and Marine Engineers at New York, that there were unnecessary structural hazards aboard even the most modern ships.

He claimed the hazards included unnecessary door sills or door lifts that were too high, uncovered deck waterways and scuppers, faulty stair treads and stairs pitched at too steep an angle.

In 1931, he said, 3,307 accidents to passengers and crew were reported on 328 American ships. More than one-third of the accidents, he said, were caused by structural defects.

It will relieve a cold—colds are the commonest ailments of mankind and a neglected cold can lead to serious conditions. Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil will relieve the bronchial passages or will strengthen them against a subsequent attack. And as it eases the inflammation it will usually stop the cough because it allays the irritation in the throat. Try it and prove it.

## Didn't Want That Beat

A young man from the country went to London to join the police force. He passed the medical examination, and then the officer in charge asked him if he had a good general knowledge.

"Yes, sir," came the reply.

"Then how far is it from London to Edinburgh?"

"Look here," said the young man, "if you're going to put me on that beat, I'd rather stay home and help father with the chickens."

## DECLARE THEY HATE SIGHT OF DUST CLOTHS

Canadian women vote dust cloths a nuisance to use and to wash

MUCH PREFER APPLEFORD WONDER PAPER

With so much inventive thought being given to eliminating unnecessary household work, it is not natural that a worthwhile substitute for the dusty dust cloth should be sought.

Now it has been found. Appleford Wonder Paper which actually dusters—sifts clean—as it polishes is receiving a hearty welcome from Canadian women who detest dust cloths and all they stand for. Wonder Paper is made from clean rags and half-pulp paper, thoroughly impregnated with a fine grade furniture polish, and absorbs dirt instead of spreading it. Appleford Wonder Paper comes in handy-size packages, twenty-five sheets, each as large as a duster. You merely crumple a sheet into a soft wad, and go over the surface requiring attention.

You'll be amazed at the quick and lasting finish Wonder Paper gives. When one side is worn and soiled, simply turn the Wonder Paper inside out. After the furniture or woodwork has been gone over, you can still use your Wonder Paper on the floor.

And when you're through—throw it away. No dust to shake out or wash. No bother at all. The most obnoxious part of housework is done in half the time with half the effort. Doesn't the idea appeal to you?

### Special Offer

Wonder Paper is made by the makers of the famous PARASOL brand heavy wad paper in the Green Box. Most grocery, hardware and department stores sell Appleford Wonder Paper. If yours doesn't, just send in coupon and we'll give you a new and unique booklet entitled "Lovers' Lullaby" containing one hundred recipes, as a bonus for your trouble.

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Address.....  
My dealer is.....

## Wood Preservation Problems

Crescote Treatment Is Subject Of Investigation By Scientific Tests

With the increasing use of wood preservatives in extending the life of wood structures, the problem of constantly being encountered the importance of this practice. One such problem is the "bleeding" of timbers after impregnation with crescote. By "bleeding" is meant the exudation of crescote to the surface of the timber, rendering it difficult to handle, and a menace to the wearing apparel of the workmen or others coming in contact with it. In the case of telephone poles on city streets "bleeding" may be a source of considerable annoyance. The Forest Products Laboratories of Canada, Forest Service, Department of the Interior, are investigating this problem, and at present have a large number of poles under observation. These were treated under pressure by several different methods, and it is hoped to be able from these experiments to determine the treatments most effective in preventing "bleeding."

Miller's Worm Powders will drive worms from the system without injury to the child. The powders are so easy to take that the most delicate stomach can assimilate them and welcome them as speedy easers of pain, because they promptly remove the worms that cause the pain, and thus the suffering of the child is relieved. With so sterling a remedy at hand no child should suffer an hour from worms.

## A Business Proposition

Owner Of Thatched Farmhouse Had Good Advertising Idea

A well-known artist was painting a beautiful thatched farmhouse.

The farmer was an interested on-looker.

Presently he said:

"I say, sir, what are you going to do with that picture of my cottage when you've finished it?"

"I shall send it to an exhibition, I expect," replied the artist.

"The farmer was silent for a moment, then he said:

"Will many people see it?"

"Thousands, I hope," said the artist.

"Then," said the farmer, "would you mind putting on it: 'To be let during the summer months?'"

World war widows in Europe have married again at an average rate of 2,000 year.

## Jury Finds Harpell Is Guilty Of Defamatory Libel

Montreal, Que.—Vindication of his good name was won by Thomas B. Macaulay, president of the Sun Life of Canada, as a jury under Chief Justice R. A. E. Greenhields found James J. Harpell guilty of defamatory libel.

The trial occupied five days and arose out of articles attacking Mr. Macaulay and the Sun Life published in Harpell's magazine "The Journal of Commerce," and out of passages in a book called "Industry, Commerce and Finance."

Throughout the whole trial the white-haired financier sat in the court room and followed proceedings closely. When the verdict was announced his friends and relatives gathered around him with their congratulations.

Much of the internal organization of the Sun Life and many of its investments were reviewed in the course of the trial. Mr. Macaulay himself was called to the witness box for the defence and questioned about his dealings with Samuel Inault and his share in a syndicate organized by Inault and Company to underwrite the stock of the Middle West Utilities Company.

Practically all the other important officers of the Sun Life testified at one time or another.

Only once during his long session in the witness box did Mr. Macaulay inject a personal note into his testimony. When counsel finished questioning him he asked permission to add a word or two and said:

"While Mr. Harpell is technically on trial, it is really my character that is on trial. Never in all my life have I used one dollar of the company's money improperly or for my own purposes. Never once did I allow considerations of personal benefit to weigh with me in deciding on the investments of the company."

The jury took an hour and 40 minutes to reach its verdict, and recommended leniency on the part of the judge. Just before they retired they were told in the judge's charge the truth of every statement in the alleged libel had to be proved to justify acquittal and not merely the truth of a part of it.

### Finds Speaking Hard

London, Eng.—Establishing long distance flight records is hard work but Amy Johnson thinks speaking to an audience of men is considerably harder. Amy was fetted at a luncheon of men distinguished in British aviation circles. She listened to speeches in which aeronautical experts praised her feat of setting a new record of seven days and seven hours for the flight between Cape Town and London.

## Wheat For Britain Must Go Direct From Canadian Ports

London, Eng.—If Canada wheat shipped to the United Kingdom market is to get the new British preference of six cents a bushel, then it must be consigned to a point in the United Kingdom before it leaves the Dominion.

This in brief is the effect of a decision rendered recently by the British customs authorities, who declined to grant the preference on a small test shipment brought over on the "Laconia."

The decision may prove of tremendous benefit to Canadian seaports, in that it hits the practice of shipping Canadian grain to United States elevators for later sale abroad.

Canadian wheat handled in the old manner is not eligible for the preference, if it is for the British market. It is stressed that mere transit of the wheat through a foreign country does not, of itself, form a fatal obstacle to obtain the preference. But shipments, to gain the preference, must satisfy the vital requirements of through consignment from a part of the Empire to the United Kingdom.

The customs authorities found the documents accompanying the "Laconia" shipment of three carloads, which originated in Canada and came through the United States, did not comply with the conditions necessary to establish the claim, in that they furnished no evi-

## Hunger Marchers Arrested

Twenty-Five Men and One Woman Taken in Charge By Police At Edmonton

Edmonton, Alberta.—Twenty-five men, and one woman, alleged leaders of the proposed "hunger march" that was broken up here recently, were arrested as they attended a conference in the Ukrainian hall, headquarters of the marchers.

Arrests of the alleged Communists were carried out by R.C.M.P., who surrounded the building. Officers then walked into the hall and picked out the men they wanted. All of the men arrested were placed in the city jail.

In several instances feet-footed R.C.M.P. constables had to run for half a block before they caught some of the so-called leaders, who attempted to leave the building.

As a result of the arrests, a demonstration which had been planned at the headquarters of the "hunger marchers" failed to materialize.

## Newfoundland Debt

Report Says Britain and Canada To Assist In Financing

Montreal, Que.—The governments of Great Britain and the Dominion of Canada will co-operate to advance the necessary funds to save the government of Newfoundland from going into default on the January 1, interest obligations on its funded debt, the Montreal Star said it had learned on undisputed authority.

Decision to meet the interest will require the British and Canadian authorities to make equal advances of about \$739,500, the Star says. The total interest requirements of the funded debt for Jan. 1 to total about \$1,479,100 to be furnished by Canada and Great Britain, a payment of \$739,500 each, the Star says.

## Inquiry Adjourned

Commission Investigating Manitoba University Loss Adjourns Trial After Holidays

Winnipeg.—After having heard more than 1,650,000 words of evidence a board of inquiry has adjourned its inquiry into \$1,000,000 loss in University of Manitoba endowments until after the Christmas holidays.

The commission will resume its hearing on Jan. 6, when Mr. Justice R. N. Dennistoun, for many years a partner in the legal and investment firm of Machray, Sharpe and Dennistoun, which acted as investment agents for the college funds, will take the stand.

## Plan Debt Revision

Imperial Oil Co. Will Help Western Farmers To Liquidate Obligations Toronto, Ont.—Debt revision and a sweeping cancellation of back interest, is the Imperial Oil Company's Christmas present to farmers of western Canada.

The repayment plan offered by the company to upwards of 30,000 debtors or farmers in the prairie provinces, provides for remission of interest on amounts due from 1929 and 1930 up to October 1, 1933. Thereafter, during the course of a five-year repayment period, interest at only four per cent will be charged.

Repayment is to be made in annual instalments on October 1 of each of the following five years—but instead of taking a dollar for each dollar's worth of debt (if wheat prices remain at relatively low levels) the company will permit liquidation of amounts due on the basis of wheat values, rather than dollar values as carried on its books.

While the company makes no announcement of the aggregate par value of debts involved, it is understood that it is upwards of \$5,000,000, and the amount by which the total capital debt will be reduced depends upon the value of wheat during the five years following October 1 next. Interest charges accumulating from that date will also be scaled down, should wheat values remain at depressed levels.

## Want Slice Of Canada

Suggestion For Debt Settlement Comes From Across the Line

Washington.—Another suggestion of settlement of war debts came to Senator Reed Smoot, of Utah, recently in a letter proposing that the United States takes over part of Canada or some other British territory near the country.

Fred W. Gravenhurst, of Brooklyn, N.Y., wrote the chairman of the senate finance committee.

"Why, in all the discussion regarding Great Britain's debt to us, do we hear so little about making a settlement in kind?"

"To the north of us lie Canada Newfoundland, New Brunswick, Nova Scotia and Prince Edward Island, while to the east lie Bermuda and the British West Indies."

"Expansion through purchase is a well-tried American precedent."

"Many of our hard-pressed citizens would probably flock into such new territory."

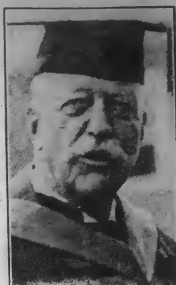
### Opening Of Alberta Legislature

Edmonton, Alberta.—Opening date for the next session of the Alberta legislature has been provisionally set for Thursday, February 2. Some uncertainty attaches to the date because of the Dominion-provincial conference in Ottawa, which is to open January 17, and Premier Brownlee states a change in the Alberta date is possible.

### Road To Peace River

Vancouver, B.C.—Construction of a trail and eventually a road over the mountains into the Peace River country, leaving natural development of trade to take care of an ultimate railway, is the solution offered by Col. J. K. Cornwall, pioneer northerner, for the Peace River transportation problem.

## MAY SUCCEED MELLON



Lawrence Lowell, former President of Harvard University, may replace Andrew Mellon, United States Ambassador to Great Britain, when Mr. Roosevelt becomes President. Mr. Lowell, who retired from the presidency of Harvard recently, has been a close friend of the President-elect for more than twenty-five years.

## For Cancer Sufferers

Only Radium Refinery In British Empire To Open At Port Hope

Port Hope, Ont.—Thousands of cancer sufferers may look with renewed hope to a humble factory in this quiet Lake Ontario town. Opening a new chapter in Canada's crowded mineral history, the only radium refinery in the British Empire will be operating within 10 days, and its product will go to all parts of the world.

Made from Canadian ore, shipped by Canadian railways to the all-Canadian plant here, the radium will prove Canada's challenge to the Belgian syndicate which now controls the world's supply of radium. If present plans materialize, the radium will be so cheaply and efficiently produced that its price will be lowered. Even the poorest cancer patient will ultimately be able to afford the radium treatments which have proved the most efficient in the treatment of the dread disease.

## Battle Of Bullets

Nine Policemen Slain In Chicago In 1932 and Thirty-Seven Criminals

Chicago.—Although nine of their own number were killed in action this year police today counted 37 criminals slain during 1932 in combats with Chicago officers of the law.

Listed in the police classification of bandits who fell mortally wounded under police gun fire were 19 bandits, nine burglars and automobile thieves and nine men who resisted officers.

In addition police said 26 other criminals were killed by citizens and private police.

### For Federal Post

Toronto, Ont.—"Dr. W. J. Bell, Ontario Deputy Minister of Health, is shortly to retire to become Deputy Minister of Pensions and National Health at Ottawa, according to a Queen's Park rumor," the Toronto Telegram states. "Hon. Dr. J. M. Robb, Minister of Health, is in the north country and no definite confirmation could be obtained."

## LEADING LADIES IN CONCLAVE



Lady Nancy Astor, member of the British House of Commons, now on a visit to the United States, is shown with Mrs. Franklin D. Roosevelt, wife of the President-elect, as they attended a dinner of the National Congress League in New York. Lady Astor later led a Community Sing Song for charity.

## French Chamber Votes Confidence In Paul-Boncour Cabinet

### Quake Felt In East

Earth Tremors Experienced Along Ottawa Valley Area

Ottawa, Ont.—Ottawa and vicinity experienced momentarily a slight earthquake similar to those which have frequently been noticed along the Ottawa and St. Lawrence river valleys.

No damage has been reported from any point but many people felt the tremor. The quake registered lightly on the seismograph at the Dominion Observatory.

Previously a severe quake started recording on the seismograph and lasted four hours. This was estimated to have had its epicentre 2170 miles distant and its origin at approximately 1:10 a.m., Eastern Standard Time.

The local quake was only faintly noticeable in Ottawa. In the central part of the city pictures on the walls and dishes were heard. A rumbling sound was rattled, accompanied by slight vibrations, in Ottawa south and McKellar, a suburb.

## West Meets Obligations

Western Provinces Retire Funded Indebtedness During December

New York.—Canadian provinces retired \$10,573,000 of funded indebtedness payable in United States gold coin in December, according to the Dominion Securities Corporation. The bulk of these payments consisted of \$6,158,000 Province of Manitoba four per cent bonds and \$4,015,000 Province of British Columbia four per cent notes, both retired Dec. 15. Since about \$2,560,000 of this total was refunded in New York, the effect has been a net reduction in the U.S. dollar obligations of the two provinces of \$7,673,000. Other maturities paid off added \$700,000 to this figure.

The financial requirements of Canadian governments and corporations this year have been taken care of to a large extent through sale of internal issues in contrast to the large amounts borrowed in the New York markets in previous years.

## Taking Long Trip

Peace River Farmer Bringing Family To Great Bear Lake

Ottawa, Ont.—Somewhere on the banks of the Mackenzie River, in the neighborhood of Fort Norman, lies a ramshackle structure of planks and boards which once was the house and barn of a Peace River farmer, who, with his wife and family, is slowly laboring his way down to Canada's new El Dorado at Great Bear Lake. According to Captain G. C. Upson, formerly of the Royal Canadian Air Force, who has just returned from that sub-arctic zone, the intrepid family has "tied-up" for the winter at Norman, with every intention of continuing onward to Great Bear Lake when navigation is resumed next summer.

Paris, France.—The Chamber of Deputies, by 365 to 215, voted confidence in the Paul-Boncour Government on a ministerial declaration which included, as the debt policy of the new government, continuing negotiations with the United States in an effort to settle the debt problem, though warning that "prudence" was necessary in view of the present political situation in America.

The vote came after six hours of debate, during which Premier Joseph Paul-Boncour stressed the necessity of bringing into harmony the viewpoints of France and the United States.

M. Paul-Boncour, during his ministerial declaration, gave a clear implication that, while it was essential that negotiations be continued, it was advisable to proceed cautiously until the new administration is in power in Washington.

He also indicated clearly that he regarded the main lines of these negotiations, so far as France is concerned, were laid down by the Chamber in its recent vote on the debts. (The chamber voted against payment of the interest payment due December 15 unless the United States first agreed to confer about revision.)

The premier promised in his declaration "to concentrate all our efforts" to the work of achieving "general settlement of the war debts question."

## Refuse To Pay Exchange

Calgary City Council Will Pay New York Debentures In Canadian Funds

Calgary, Alberta.—Accepting the recommendation of the finance committee, city council voted to default the exchange charges in making payments on maturing debentures in New York, January 1, totalling \$2,609,872.44. The payment would be made in Canadian funds but the exchange charges of approximately \$300,000 will be ignored.

By vote of eight to two, council upheld the actions of Mayor Andy Davidson and the finance committee in refusing to pay the exchange charges on maturing debentures in New York, January 1, totalling \$2,609,872.44. The payment would be made in Canadian funds but the exchange charges of approximately \$300,000 will be ignored.

As the situation now stands, the city will offer to meet the debenture issue payments, both principal and accrued interest, in Canadian dollars. Any requests from bondholders for payments in United States funds will be rejected.

### Radium From Canada

Paris, France.—It was announced here that arrangements have been made to furnish Madame Curie, famous discoverer of the radium treatment for cancer, with supplies of radium from Canada. Madame Curie has been handicapped in her research of recent years by inadequate supplies.

## U. S. Wets Pass Measure To Modify The Volstead Act

Washington.—Trampling down all dry opposition, United States House of Representatives wets jammed the Democratic 3.2 per cent beer bill through congress unchanged and laid it on the docket of the senate, where early action is promised.

The big vote, 230 to 165, approving the measure was the first successful move by wets in either branch of congress to modify the Volstead Act since it became law 12 years ago.

Shouts and applause greeted Speaker John N. Garner's announcement of the bill's passage. The size of the affirmative vote surprised even the most active advocates of the measure, including Speaker Garner, who said: "It was bigger than I expected, and shows that a majority of the House wants to follow the will of a majority of the people."

Chairman James Collier, of the ways and means committee, who piloted the bill, said:

"It will give the people a malt beverage to drink and the federal treasury much needed revenue."

Action came after three and a half hours of exciting debate, watched by a number of senators.

It was the most severe defeat suffered by the House prohibitionists in many years, party lines were shattered in the final vote. Among the 230 votes for the bill 153 Democrats, 99 Republicans, and one Farmer-Laborer were recorded. Sixty-four Democrats joined 101 Republicans in opposition.

Immediately after the House action, senate leaders announced plans for prompt action in their branch after the Christmas holidays. In addition to legalizing 3.2 per cent beer by weight, the measure provides a tax of \$5 a barrel, federal protection to dry states, and leaves to the states the regulation of distribution, except that wholesale and retail sellers must obtain federal licenses.

The ways and means committee estimated it would return up to \$300,000,000 annually in revenue.

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## NOTES AND COMMENTS

By the time this issue appears, the Christmas holiday season will be but another pleasant memory which we trust everyone in Coleman and District enjoyed. As we get back into the usual routine of daily life, we sometimes think that these periods of relaxation are all too short. Family gatherings and happiness and goodwill on all sides make a bright spot as the close of year approaches. Before we realize that time is passing so swiftly, we are welcoming the new year, when hope is re-born and faith renewed—and resolutions with plenty of piecrust are made.

It opens more brightly for Coleman as increased business in coke manufacturing will result to those dependent on local industry. More employment puts more money into circulation.

Summing up the Christmas activities merchants report equally as good business as in the previous Christmas season. The dispensers of whiskies and wines appear to have done a very good trade. Mention of this may cause a flutter among temperance advocates, but there are many who agree that wine makes glad the heart of man, and excuse themselves at Christmas time for indulging in a little Christmas cheer. And so another Merry Christmas passes into history.

People have been interested in the new word "Technocracy." Living in a progressive age, new ideas are always welcomed if they contribute to the welfare of mankind. This subject requires rather deep study to fully understand it; more than the writer of this column has at his disposal at the present time. Here is a definition of the word: "The word Technocracy, as representative of a new body of thought means governance by science, social control through the power of technique, and as such has no connotations of dictatorship by the technicist or a sort of 'glorified' engineer. Technocracy is a new approach to social phenomena. As such, a governance by science is one which would proceed from a methodology of determination and which would operate under a balanced load control of all functional sequences."

If you can master that, you are ready for the next stage of this latest scientific theory.

A. F. K., in his column in the Drumheller Review, states: "Technocracy demands that the human element must now be considered—as a leisure class—with the machine as its servant."

Have you experienced joy; have you experienced sorrow? Have you ex-

perienced victory; have you experienced defeat? Undoubtedly you have! Everyone has, and these experiences constitute life. You may be immune for a while, but you will get your share. You will not escape them, for it falls to the lot of every person to undergo these experiences which are part of the mystery of life.

The Coca-Cola Company has increased its advertising appropriation by \$1,000,000 for 1933. Robert W. Woodruff, president of the company, when questioned on the danger of over-spending during the depression said: "It is my opinion that the wasters in advertising are the under-spenders—those who spend almost enough and so fail to accomplish their objective as a result."

If a man able to work refuses, that is his own business. He has no further claim either on charity or public funds. Yet men follow destructive leaders deeper into the mire of difficulty because they have not the will to withstand intimidation and coercion.

Religious education offers opportunities for the development of character. Godless education offers opportunities for the destruction of character.—The Casket.

## CORRESPONDENCE

(From the Blairmore Enterprise)

To the Editor,

The Blairmore Enterprise:

Dear Sir—I would be pleased if you could give me space in your much read paper to answer a letter of Mr. Wootton's, which was in the Canadian Miner on November 29, 1932, issue.

In answer to an article signed, "Editor of the Canadian Miner," I would like to make mine and my comrades' position clear, as our names have been classed as strike breakers. We feel our characters are far more honorable than the accusers can ever be. First, the strike, which was called in February, was illegal. Second it was not a labor strike, but a move to try and establish Communism. The constitutions of the M.W.U. of C. were cast aside, and lies and threats substituted. Everything but the truth was shouted from the platforms to hold the men out on strike. When I found what I was being led into, and the degradation I would finally sink into, I broke away and gave my views to any one I talked with. Many saw my point of view; some stayed with me, others openly said "they believed I was right and would like to be with me, but were afraid." Such was the system of holding them together by fear, intimidation and force. It was then I and my comrades decided to form a union, which we call "The Blairmore Miners' Association." Our intention is to once more build up a true union with union principles strictly lived up to; to try and lift our brethren up out of the mess you (Mr. Wootton, Stokluk and Murphy) have pushed and forced them into.

Now, let us get to the point: Who broke the strike? Would it be the men who signed the agreement, or those who followed suit? You, Mr. Wootton, Stokluk and Murphy, know who signed the agreement and why I will explain to the workers whom I hope will read this. The men who signed the agreement were J. Krokosky, junior, and Frank Leary. The reason is clear. At first, there was a discrimination list and Frank Leary, Ralph Wootton and a few more of your leaders were on that list, so their slogan from the platform was "We all came out together, and we'll all go back together." But the discrimination was discarded. No more you hear "We all came out together; we'll all go back together." No! No! You were told you couldn't all get back at once after a seven months' strike; but did your leaders lay off with you? Wake up; show your manhood; don't be held by intimidation; cast Murphy and Stokluk aside, and be men once again as you were be-

fore they came here to cause your downfall. Mr. Wootton, I would be pleased if you will copy this letter into the Canadian Miner. Will all other papers please copy? Many members of the Blairmore Miners' Association were disappointed that their names were not on your list. They have requested me to ask you, Mr. Wootton, if you would like to have their signatures and photographs sent in. I can furnish you with mine, also. Our cause is just, and we are not ashamed of it. Our membership is steadily growing, and we are proud to make the boast. In a very little while, the M.W.U. of C. will be dead. If you have any questions to ask, fire away; but remember, although a lie is a very present help in the time of trouble, it is an abomination to the Lord. So speak the truth and shame the Devil.

SAMUEL JOHN ROWE,

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WORLD HAPPENINGS  
BRIEFLY TOLD

Alberta's sugar beet crop for 1932 is expected to yield nearly 50,000,000 pounds of sugar, a new record for the province.

Both houses of the Bahama legislature approved the bill ratifying the agreement signed with the United Kingdom during the Imperial Conference at Ottawa.

Freedom by 1944 for the Philippine Islands was voted by the United States Senate in the face of warnings that President Hoover would veto the legislation.

Canada supplied 57.2 per cent. of United Kingdom imports of wheat during the month of October, 1932, or 11,204,626 bushels out of a total of 19,632,648 bushels.

Miss Agnes MacPhail, Progressive member of House of Commons for South East Grey, will address the United Farmers of Alberta Convention at Calgary late in January.

Due to the fact that Easter falls much later in 1933 than it did in 1932, the next session of the Ontario legislature may not be called until late in February, Premier George S. Henry has intimated.

Dr. W. W. Yen, head of the Chinese delegation at Geneva, who played a part in the resumption of diplomatic relations between Russia and China, has been named Chinese ambassador to Moscow.

The New Zealand Government has decided to re-assume its liability in connection with war debt payments to Great Britain, which were suspended last year by the Hoover moratorium on inter-governmental debts.

Unofficial, but reliable reports obtained at Ottawa, are to the effect that the world economic conference will be held in April. It is understood that world powers have agreed to this date.

About forty per cent. of Germany's foreign obligations is held in the United States, the remainder being distributed among several countries. Her total foreign indebtedness is \$4,812,000,000.

Claire Kinsey Vance, 35, veteran air mail pilot, rode to a flaming death against the summit of Rocky Ridge, four miles west of Danville, California. His body was found in the charred wreckage of his plane.

## Radio Sets In Canada

An Average Of 74 For Each Thousand Of Population

Canadians owned 770,436 radio sets in 1931, an average of 74 for each thousand of population, the Dominion Bureau of Statistics reports. There were 40 sets for each thousand people in rural centres, 60 in the urban. United with 106 led all provinces in the number of sets per thousand of population. British Columbia with 95; Manitoba, 65; Alberta, 61; Saskatchewan, 60; Quebec, 52; Nova Scotia, 60; New Brunswick, 58; Prince Edward Island, 55; and Yukon, 17.

Compared to its population, Forest Hill, Ont., a suburb of Toronto, has the largest number of radio sets, followed by Medicine Hat, Alberta; London, Ontario; Hamilton, Ontario; Windsor, Ontario; Brantford, Ontario; and Victoria, B.C.

## Had Right-Of-Way

Bicycle Was Removed So Fat Man Could Use Walk

In his most angry manner Judge Rowlands at Clerkenwell, England, recently ordered that a bicycle be removed from a walk between houses so that a fat man would not be impeded. The landlord of the fat man made the complaint, and the fat man wheeled to court to tell the judge that it was either a case of getting wedged between the bicycle and the wall, or pushing the wheel before him so that he had the full width of the passage to himself, and then pushing it back again.

## Eight Islands In Group

The Hawaiian Islands number eight. They are: Hawaii, Maui, Kahoolawe, Lanai, Molokai, Oahu, Kauai and Niihau. There are several other rocky islets in the group which are not recognized as islands.

A rubber company recently built its 200,000,000th tire. Of course the directors celebrated the occasion with a blowout.

More than one-third of the year is devoted to religious rituals by the Hopi Indians.

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## Question Is Unique

Manitoba Court Must Decide If Widow Is Unmarried Woman  
"Is a widow an unmarried woman?" as contemplated by the Child Welfare Act. This interesting question will shortly be argued in the court of appeal, where the matter was carried from a judgment of Mr. Justice Adamson, who said she was not.

Annie Hawrysh, Sky Lake, Man., made claim to certain relief on which an "unmarried woman" would be entitled under the act. Actually she is a widow. The case came before F. A. E. Hamilton, sitting as a magistrate, but before the argument got fairly advanced counsel for the defendant raised the objection that the magistrate had no jurisdiction because the claimant was a widow.

A prohibition order was granted by Mr. Justice Adamson restraining the magistrate from proceeding further. From that decision an appeal is now pending.

## National Art Gallery

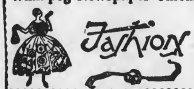
Contention Is Made That Favoritism Has Been Shown

Charles Confort, former Winnipeg painter is among the 11 prominent Toronto artists who published a purported refutation of contentions by 118 other Canadian artists that the national gallery of Canada at Ottawa had shown favoritism to a restricted group in the selection of pictures for exhibition and purchase.

The 118 artists, all painters, sent a petition to Prime Minister R. B. Bennett asking an investigation of the gallery's affairs and saying they would boycott the institution until the investigation was held.

In their defence of the gallery, the 11 Toronto artists, some painters, some sculptors, two of them members of the Royal Canadian Academy and two members of the Group of Seven, contend the 118 petitioners do not represent the majority opinion of Canadian artists.

## Winnipeg Newspaper Union



By Ruth Rogers



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## + Do You Know? +



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THAT although the pelican (famed in prose and poetry) is generally associated in the mind with sub-tropical regions, it is to be seen as far north as Southern Saskatchewan? Each year large numbers of pelican migrate across the boundary to Saskatchewan and build their nests on the shores of the numerous lakes in that area. The photograph shows a pelican in the process of taking off from Last Mountain Lake, Saskatchewan.

## Rocket Flight In Spring

Pilot To Descend By Means Of Separate Parachute

The world's first rocket flight with a human pilot directing and controlling the fiery space ship is now scheduled tentatively for next spring.

Engineer Heinrich Hebel has plans ready for the construction of such a rocket. The rocket, which is expected to reach an altitude of about 3,000 feet, is to return to the ground by means of a large parachute that unfolds itself automatically, and the pilot, after leaping out of the fiery sky ship, is to be brought down by a separate parachute.

The inventor claims to have solved the problem of the starting speed. His rocket motor, constructed in accordance with the backstroke principle, will work with a number of adjustable nozzles, making it possible for the pilot to regulate the velocity of the ascent.

Aluminum will be used in the construction of the rocket, which will be driven by a mixture of diluted alcohol and liquid oxygen. The liquid fuel, however, will be converted into gas, which, expelled through the nozzles, will propel the rocket ship.

## Some Linguist

A tourist agency inserted an advertisement for a guide who was required to escort parties abroad. A hard-up young man, who desired an easy position applied and was given an interview.

"Good morning," said the agency official, "Parlez-vous Français?"

"—er—beg your pardon?"

"Parlez-vous Français?"

"—Ah—frantically sorry, but I didn't quite catch."

"Do you speak French?"

The young man smiled easily.

"Oh, yes," he said, "fluently."

## Have Urge To Jump

Topmost Platform Of Eiffel Tower Gives People Impulse

The chief guardian of the Eiffel Tower in Paris is proud of the fact that nobody has committed suicide by jumping from the top of it for over a year.

The last person who jumped from the top of the Tower was a Russian princess who committed suicide on July 14, 1931.

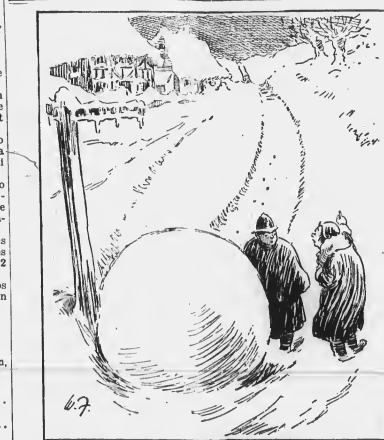
The guardian tells me that in recent years about six persons made the Eiffel Tower death leap annually. This is now practically impossible owing to the keen vigilance exercised by the keepers who are stationed on each platform and on the steep staircases to keep a watch on people who frequent the tower.

The guardian tells me that many people who commit suicide from the Eiffel Tower never had any intention of doing so before they went up to the topmost platform. Owing to the dizzy height, he says, some people who happen to look down feel an instinctive impulse to jump over.—Paris Correspondent.

## Here's a Suggestion

To Increase Circulating Credit Of Canada By Millions

Suggestion for saving the country: If every Canadian were to give another Canadian, for a Christmas present, an I.O.U. for ten dollars payable at Christmas next year, the circulating credit of the country would be increased by one hundred million dollars, at no expense to anybody. If every Canadian gave ten other Canadians etc., etc., it would be increased by a billion dollars. And if every Canadian gave every other Canadian —but where's the use?—Toronto Saturday Night.



POLICEMAN: "What's that, madam? This has rolled right down the hill with your Christmas parcels inside?"  
AGITATED LADY: "Yes, and my husband's inside with them, too!"  
The Humorist, London.

## SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

JANUARY 1

JOHN PREPARES THE WAY FOR JESUS

Golden Text: "Make ye ready the way of the Lord, Make His paths straight."—Mark 1:3.  
Lesson: Mark 1:1-11.  
Devotional Reading: Isaiah 40:1-11.

## Explanations and Comments

The Appearance and Preaching of John the Baptist, the Forerunner of Jesus, verses 2-3.—Note that verses 2-4 are one sentence: Even as it is written, John came. The prophet Malachi had cried (3:1), "Behold, I send my messenger, he shall prepare the way for Me," and Isaiah had declared (40:3), "The voice of one that crieth, 'Prepare ye in the wilderness the way of Jehovah, make level in the desert a highway for our God.'"

Isaiah called upon the exiles of Babylon to prepare a highway for God: Mark applies his words to John the Baptist, who was, in truth, the "voice crying in the wilderness." Verse two is applied by Jesus Himself to John in Matthew 11:10 and Luke 7:27.

"We all know that the Romans were mighty road-builders. We have all heard of that golden milestone from which all the more important roads throughout the empire started. The Roman road had above all things else the quality of directness. It went straight towards its goal. The old road-builder did not trouble himself much about the cost of his highways. Whatever the cost, he made roads as straight as possible. It is with singular felicity, then, that Mark uses a quotation from the Old Testament teaching of Jesus a straight road. John cut through the obstacles in the popular mind which otherwise would have blocked the message of the truth of the Son of God."—Francis J. McConnell.

"John was a voice; he got a hearing. Many men start out to be a real voice and ends by being a mere whisper, just because he gets to hearing the opinion of the Pharisees and Sadducees—the great people of his day. John dared to strike at these people with the same directness with which he struck at the soldiers and the tax gatherers."—Francis J. McConnell.

## Recipes For This Week

(By Betty Barclay)

## COCONUT CREAM JUMBLES

3 cups sifted flour.  
2 teaspoons baking powder.  
1 teaspoon salt.  
1 cup sugar.  
2 eggs, well beaten.  
1 cup heavy cream.

½ cup coconut, premium shred.  
Sift flour once, measure, add baking powder and salt, and sift again. Add sugar gradually to eggs. Add flour, alternately with cream, mixing well. Add coconut. Chill roll ¼ inch thick on slightly floured board.

Dredge with sugar. Cut with large round cutter. Bake in hot oven (425 degrees Fahrenheit) 15 to 18 minutes. Makes 2 dozen ¾ inch jumbles.

## LEMON CRAM JUNKET WITH CRANBERRIES

1 package lemon junket powder.  
½ pint light cream.  
1 pint cranberries.  
½ cup water.  
½ cup sugar.

To make cranberry sauce: Boil sugar and water together 5 minutes. Add cranberries and boil without stirring until all the skins pop open (about 15 minutes). Remove from stove, and allow sauce to cool.

To make junket: Prepare according to directions on package, using ½ pint milk and ½ pint cream instead of 1 pint of milk. Chill in refrigerator. Immediately after the junket sets, or when ready to serve, put 1 tablespoon of cranberry sauce on each dish of junket.

## How China Does It

Authorities Take Easy Way To Find "Lost" Articles

Anyone who has visited the east knows how easily property gets "lost." Lord Lytton discovered this when he was in China recently. He, being chairman of the Manchurian commission his property was speedily returned.

Lord Lytton lost his walking-stick. When he complained about it the Chinese authorities promptly put under lock and key every one of the carriers who had charge of his property, with the result that within two days a coolie brought in the stick and said he had "found" it.

French angel fish, one of the most beautiful residents of the deep, can live but a month in captivity.

Photographs can be cleaned by wiping lightly with a piece of old linen dipped in warm ammonia water.

Fruit Growing In  
Western Canada

Success Attained In Growing Apples On the Prairies

According to the Hon. Jas. F. Bryant, K.C., who is in charge of the Saskatchewan Government fruit growing campaign, a great deal of interest is being taken by farmers and particularly by their wives, in the prospects of growing fruit on their own farms, and many inquiries are being made by those who are following the Government lead in the matter and are desirous of establishing an orchard of their own without further delay.

A great deal of success has been achieved in the growing of crab-apples, plums and the smaller fruits in many parts of Western Canada, and good results have already been obtained in growing standard apples in certain locations in Saskatchewan. In 1927, Experimental Farms were established by the Federal Government at Brandon, Manitoba, and Indian Head, Saskatchewan. During the next eight or ten years more than two hundred of the hardiest sorts of cultivated apples obtainable in northern Europe and northern Asia, were planted out and tested under varying conditions but in no cases were any fruits produced.

In 1927 seed was obtained from the Imperial Botanical Gardens, St. Petersburg, Russia, of a small Siberian crabapple, known as the "Berried Crab" or "Pyrus Baccata." Fruit by cross-fertilizing the flowers of the "Pyrus Baccata" with pollen from many of the hardiest and best trees of apples grown in Ontario. Trees raised from seeds produced from these crosses fruited and produced a high percentage of the truth half way in size between a crabapple and a standard apple. A further cross produced a hardy standard apple which was perfectly hardy and hundreds of these cross breeding experiments have been carried out.

In March, 1929, the twenty-one years ago, William Saunders, Director of Dominion Experimental Farms, said in a letter to the Minister of Agriculture:

"Already many useful varieties of cross-bred apples have been produced, and the indications are that improvements in the size and quality of the fruit will be more rapid in the future than they have been in the past. The large number of second crosses now under trial, will, it is expected, furnish material among which suitable sorts may be widely distributed for commercial value in most of the colder parts of Canada."

The expected improvement has taken place. In addition a great deal of success has been attained by grafting standard apple wood on Siberian crab root stocks. For nearly twenty-five years, such pioneer fruit growers as Dr. Hunt of Indian Head, H. Fauriol of Medicine Hat and others have been raising standard apples in Saskatchewan.

A few days ago I received a letter from Frank Boskell, a farmer at Rutland, Saskatchewan, which indicated that on his farm over two hundred miles north of the international boundary and near the western boundary of the province, he had grown fruit successfully. Boskell wrote of this year's crop, in his orchard of about two acres:

"We sold the fruit from the trees at the following prices: 50 cents a peck for crab, 65 cents for hybrid plums and 75 cents for native plums. The book-keeping stopped at 3,584 pounds when we started weighing and I think there was easily 1,000 pounds sold after that besides what we used. Visitors seemed to get quite a kick out of picking fruit and orders for plums were still coming in long after they had been picked. Other visitors charged one dollar a peck for plums, so it can be easily seen if times were normal there would be money in fruit growing here."

"We had wealthy apples 3½ inches in diameter, and redder than I ever saw the apple anywhere else. The green striped apple the Doc sent you was a Hibernal and some of these were about as large. The Yellow Transparent is a good size too but the reds would not be much over two inches in diameter. It looks this last few years almost like we could bank on standard apples but I believe the seedling Russian apples will prove a good thing when we get a test winter. I also believe a little extra work at just the right time will help."

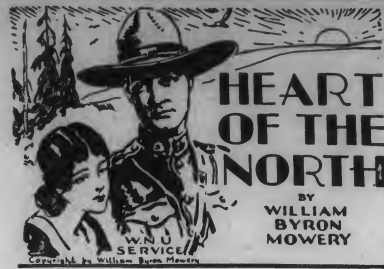
Here is an example of around two acres and a half of fruit grown on a little over two acre orchard in north central Saskatchewan.

I said Dr. MacNeill, Superintendent of the Battiford Mental Hospital to visit the Boskell farm with his hand gardener. He did so and speaking of the new orchard on the Battiford Institutional Farm, he said: "You supply us the material. We will supply the enthusiasm."

## Alaska's Air Success

Alaska is finding the aeroplane its most valuable means of communication, and aeroplane service in that territory is growing rapidly. Ernest Walker Sawyer, adviser to the secretary of the Interior, reports that the territory's 26 commercial planes flew 947,695 passenger miles during 1931. They carried 161,718 pounds of mail and express.





CHAPTER III.—Continued.

Down in Ontario, debating what path to take, Joyce had thought of asking her dad to come and live with her. From a money standpoint, considering her good salary, that was the sensible thing to do. But she had chosen to return here. At that time she had fully realized the secret and irresistible reason of her return. If anyone had told her that reason, she would have denied it hotly. But now, face to face with a personal tragedy which forced her to discontinue thinking, she looked into her heart and saw there the real motive. It was Alan Baker who had drawn her. By degrees unknown, unperceived by her, girlhood friendship had deepened into love.

She had come back to be near Alan Baker. She had come back to the passionate hope that he and she would marry.

There had been an unspoken understanding between herself and Alan that when the road ahead was a little clearer for both of them, they would be married. And then Elizabeth had come. . . . Alan's engagement to Elizabeth had been a coming unexpected blow. When Bill, dining next to Alan, awkwardly blurted out on patrol, she had not believed. It took days of racked wanderings in the woods, weeks of helpless anguish, tossing, before the strength and courage that were so great a part of Joyce, fought it out, and she steadied herself and began to believe.

But even now she did not fully accept. That engagement seemed strange to her. Though she knew nothing of Alan's secret motives, she did feel there was something behind it which Alan had told no one. It seemed to her, from what she had observed, that Alan had no passionate affection for Elizabeth.

Month after month Joyce had waited for word of his marriage. The word had not come. She wondered. . . . What was causing this delay? She could only guess at possibilities, but during the lengthening months the belief had been born in her that something had arisen as a barrier to the marriage and that the engagement might be broken off.

When she thought of all these things and remembered how intimate and comradely she and Alan had been to one another, Joyce could not kill her lingering hope. As she stood there on the landing now, awaiting the patrol, with her heart thumping at the prospect of seeing Alan and talking to him once more, she knew that tonight she would come a little closer to discovering whether her wishes were truth or only wishful hoping.

Down the river a great yellow eye blinked through the trees. Swinging around a bend, it played up across the water. In a few moments more it picked her out, there on the landing; and Joyce stood bathed in the blinding shaft of the launch's searchlight. The craft came on and on until by shielding her eyes she distinguished its outline and caught the glitter of rifle steel.

The engine ceased. Skillfully, gently, the launch nosed in toward the landing. A figure stepped past the searchlight and stood holding the painter on the half-deck of the boat, and Joyce knew then, her eyes seeing only him, that Alan Baker led this patrol.

Joyce tried to welcome him calmly, but in that moment she was thankful for the deep twilight, and she stepped back a little, where the shadows of a low-sweeping belam velled her face. About the only ray of pride left to her was the fact that Alan Baker did not know or remotely guess her heart toward him.

With his first question, after their warm handshaking, he asked her: "Has anybody passed here lately, Joyce?"

"Not that I've seen. Nobody in the last four days."

"But surely they did! Were you here all day?"

Joyce noticed then a tautness in his voice, and she saw he had brought five men with him on this patrol. It

"But it'll be this summer, I suppose?" she questioned, poking at the stove and still not looking at Alan. "I don't know. Yes, I guess so, Joyce." Then he explained reluctantly, "Elizabeth wants me to get out of the Mounted."

Joyce gasped. Out of the Mounted—she could not imagine such a thing. The work was a part of Alan. What would he do without it? And what would Fort Endurance do without him?

She said: But Alan! What would you turn to? The Mounted had been your work—

"Well, I've got the offer of a job down in Victoria. It's pretty good, as far as money goes. And Elizabeth would like it there. I haven't exactly decided. It's a big step to take."

Those few reluctant sentences were a revelation to Joyce, like a white light beating upon something which had been dark to her. Alan didn't want to go! Elizabeth was trying to force him. She wanted to live in a city; she wanted the things which that salary would bring her; she was using Alan to get what she wanted. But she and Alan were not of one mind! If he really loved her, deeply and passionately, would he be so reluctant, would he allow anything on earth to come between them?

Joyce dared not ask him anything further; then he might say a word that would destroy this new-born hope. But a hundred thoughts were running wild through her. . . . "Suppose he doesn't yield to Elizabeth! Suppose he won't go! Then she won't marry him! She'll throw him over for Haskell; the white devil! Suppose, Bill says she and Haskell are together half the time Alan's away from Endurance. Isn't that the reason?—he's not sure of Alan yielding; and if she can't have her way with him she'll be like an inspector's wife!"

With swift unerring insight Joyce saw the all-crucial question. Would Alan get out of the Mounted? He was still uncertain of her true feelings for Elizabeth, but from his own lips she had learned one thing which an hour ago she had scarcely dared hope could be true. The marriage was not sure; it might never be!

In her absentness she whispered to herself: "I don't care if he does like her. I don't, I don't care! If she throws him over, then we'll be friends again; then he'll come here to me again; then—after that. . . ."

To Be Continued.

## Flying Boat Like Pullman

Aviatrix To Have Charge If Craft Crosses Atlantic

A gigantic yacht of the air is being primed for a flight across the Atlantic when the open season for this sort of thing arrives next spring or early next summer. The flying boat, completed by the Supermarine Victoria Co., will be in charge of another daring woman of the skies, Mrs. J. J. James of London, England. Just now it is on a test cruise in Mediterranean waters.

Sleeping quarters, wardrobes and bookcases are built in the hull of the big three-engined ship which resembles a winged Pullman. It is called the "Windward III," and with a full load of fuel for its powerful Armstrong-Siddley motors, weighs about ten and a half tons.

While the exact destination of Mrs. James, should she go through with the flight, is not definitely known, it has been reported Montreal and New York city are two of the points to be visited if a successful crossing is made. Thomas Rose, formerly a flight lieutenant in the Royal Air Force, will pilot the ship. Its high-lift monoplane wing is 92 feet from tip to tip. The "Windward's" power units are mounted in the leading edge of the wing, in the centre and on both sides of the hull.

Many mothers have reason to bless Mother Graves' Worm Exterminator, because it has relieved the little ones of suffering and made them healthy.

## French Officer Grateful

Sends Present To German Who Rescued Him During War

After 15 years a hand has stretched across no man's land to drive the wolf away from the door of Hans Schultz, an unemployed laborer.

During 1917 Schultz rescued a French officer who was badly wounded. They exchanged letters as the Frenchman convalesced in a hospital. Schultz, who has been without work for eight months, recently received a letter from his French friend with 400 francs as a "Christmas present." The officer explained he had just run across the German's name in an old diary and wanted to renew the friendship.

Canned goods imported into England in the last year were valued at \$855,000,000.

## Tragic Story Revived

At Paris Exposition

Precious Relics Of Ill-Fated Napoleon Being Shown

The memory of Napoleon and his blazing epoch forever is being revived at Paris. This time it is the retrospective exposition in connection with the centenary of the king of Rome, about whom the drama of *Alphonse* has preserved the tragic story of the great emperor's dynastic hopes.

The exposition is being held in the restored orangerie of the Tuilleries Gardens. For weeks, cases arrived under guard containing the precious relics of the ill-fated prince. Museums and private individuals have loaned their mementoes of the young Bonaparte, who, among his titles, usually was known in Austria as the Duc de Reichstadt. The souvenirs are in charge of the Baronne and Baron Jean de Bourgoing, who were designated by Count Clausel, French minister to Austria.

The exposition includes objects arousing memories for those who still weep over the Napoleonic legend. Among these are the little gilded carriage of the King of Rome; the large arm chair in which the Duc de Reichstadt passed his last days on the terrace of Schoenbrunn; the prince's hat, in the form of the hat of his illustrious father; his seal; his desk; his last pen; and also his medals. Louis-Jewel cases; her portrait by Gerard, and many beautiful miniatures, engravings and other personal objects concerned with the early days of the little king.

## A Satisfactory Answer

Alberta Girl, Once Thicket Baby, Now Big Sister

What becomes of "tiny" babies? Do they ever grow up to be healthy and strong? Here is the story of one of the smallest babies ever born, today one of the brightest normal girls in the province of Alberta.

Orva Mary, daughter of B. McNeill, Standard Alberta, weighed just 12 ounces at birth. She was wrapped in cotton and silk under a glass case for many weeks and fed with a medicine dropper—a drop of food at a time. She was bathed in oil and kept at an abnormally high temperature. Later a cigar-box was her crib and cradle. Clothes she first wore later did service for her dolls.

When she was born, on Nov. 19, 1918, the doctor said she would not live. Today, she is eldest of five children and takes a motherly care of the younger ones.

## Children Reading More

Statement Of London Librarian Is Matter Of Satisfaction

Children of today have the library habit and read much more than was the case twenty years ago.

This opinion is given by a London librarian, and few will challenge it. But is it a matter only for satisfaction?

Nobody would be foolish enough to deny the value of books to children, but there is a danger today that our young bookworms may become a little too studious.

An occasional low game of cowboys and Indians—or is the gangster-and-cops nowadays?—will do a boy quite as much good as the most improving book ever written—London Sunday Pictorial.

## High Cost Of Ignorance

What World Is Principally Suffering From Today

The high cost of education is causing considerable concern. The editor of the Oakville, Ontario, Record, wonders why, at a time when the world is suffering principally from the high cost of ignorance.

But the brilliance of the epigram should not obscure the fact that many of the most learned men and women learned what they know at less cost than is involved in the turning out of a high-school pupil who may, or may not, be able to spell.

A Real Asthma Relief. Dr. J. D. Kellogg's Asthma Remedy has never been advertised by extravagant statements. Its claims are conservative indeed, when judged by the benefits which it performs. Expect relief and permanent benefits when you buy this remedy and you will not have cause for disappointment. It gives permanent relief in many cases where other so-called remedies have utterly failed.

## Helium From Lithium

Disintegration of lithium atoms at the rate of approximately 10 a minute has been found to produce crystals of this lightest of all metallic elements into helium was described at Pasadena, California, to the American Physical Society by Dr. M. Stanley Livingston and Prof. E. O. Lawrence, University of California Physicists.

## Only Two Icebergs Seen

Hudson Straits Safe For Navigation During Winter Season

Five steamers carried grain over the Churchill route this summer without even having insurance. They experienced no trouble and saw no icebergs. During the entire shipping season only one iceberg was sighted in the straits beside the one struck by the "Bright Fan."

Such was the statement of Henry Aabey, engineer in the employ of the federal department of railways and canals, who spent the summer and fall in the north.

He stated that Captain Poole made a trip on the "Ocean Eagle" up to the Foxe Channel and the Foxe Basin before navigation opened up, to see if there was any ice coming down that would enter the Hudson Straits in the latter part of August. On this trip north he discovered that the ice had all gone out of the channels, leaving the straits open for safe navigation.

He so reported to the government.

Mr. Aabey also stated that only one iceberg was sighted by the French boat "Sterece," the first boat to enter Churchill Harbor for the navigation season.

Mr. Aabey is very enthusiastic over the feasibility of the Churchill route.

## THE RHYMING OPTIMIST

By Alice Michalco

AT NIGHTFALL

The bleak gaze threatens; fierce and shrill  
Are its refrain,  
And angrily down field and hill  
Its voice complains.

The wind grows louder now. With storm  
Comes dusk today;  
Only the arms of love can charm  
My fears away.

Only the arms of love to hold  
Me warm and near;  
The tender arms of love, to fold  
All sweetness here!

About me friendless lands are laid  
And wild winds' stream,  
While ever bolder creep night's shade  
And loneliness.

No warriors' ranks, no monarch's might  
Could make fear cease;  
Love's arms, alone, can vanquish  
Night  
And bring me peace!

## Buffalo For New South Wales

Government May Ship Specimens From Wainwright For New Zealand Zoo

Canada has offered specimens of the far-famed Canadian buffalo to New South Wales. The desire of the Antipodean Government to build up the Tarango Zoological Park Trust in the New Zealand province recently was made known to this Dominion. The offer of Sir George Perley, acting prime minister, followed.

One Canadian buffalo bull and two cows comprise the offer. The specimens would come from the Buffalo Park at Wainwright, Alberta.

If the offer is accepted, specimens of mammals or birds indigenous to New Zealand may be shipped to Canada.

## Wield Enormous Power

Papers In Britain Have 70,000,000 Circulation In Week

Walter Runciman, president of the Board of Trade, as the chief guest at the 105th festival dinner of the Printers' Pensioners Corporation in London, England, spoke of the influence of the newspapers. He said he had been told that the circulation of papers published in England ran into the region of 70,000,000 a week. He had long since come to the conclusion that the powers of the newspaper world were more autocratic than those of anyone else in Europe.

## Good Number Qualified

Two great-grandmothers and 94 great-grandmothers attended "Great-grandmothers' Day," held recently in Melbourne, Australia, by the Carlton Methodist Mission. Only great-grandmothers "and up" were invited. "Senior member" was Mrs. Keegan, a great-grandmother of 85. One of the proudest was Mrs. Hopkinson, aged 77, who has had 20 children.

## Music Resemblance

A striking resemblance between the music of the Abenaki Indians and that of the Chinese has been discovered by Dr. Marius Barbeau of the archeological department of the national museum of Ottawa.

There are 209 rooms in Buckingham Palace.

## Little Helps For This Week

"Strengthened with all might, according to His glorious power, unto all patience and long-suffering with joyfulness."—Colossians 1:2.

God doth not need  
Either man's works or his own gifts  
Who best  
Bear His mild yoke, they serve Him best;  
His state is kingly; thousands at His bidding speed;  
And post o'er land and ocean without rest;  
They also serve who only stand and wait.

—J. Milton.

We cannot always be doing a great work, but we can always be doing something that belongs to our condition. To be silent, to suffer, to pray when we cannot act, is acceptable to God. A disappointment, a contradiction, a harsh word, an annoyance, a wrong received and endured as in life's presence, is worth more than a long prayer, and we do not lose time if we bear its loss with gentleness and patience, provided the loss was inevitable and was not caused by our own fault.—Fenelon.

## Prospectors Stake Claims

Ottawa Reports Great Activity In Great Bear Lake Area

According to reports reaching Ottawa, a great many mineral claims have already been staked in the area adjacent to Great Bear Lake, Northwest Territories, and there is every likelihood that many more will be staked this summer. Some prospectors have already gone in by airplane and others are planning to go in by water transport as soon as the ice goes out. In view of this great activity the topographical survey, Department of the Interior, Ottawa, has reprinted the manual respecting the survey of mineral claims in Dominion lands for the use of Dominion land surveyors who may be called upon to make official surveys of these claims.

## Wheat Market Competitors

Australia and Argentina Are Now Marketing Their Crops

Marketing of southern hemisphere crops says a wheat review of the Dominion Bureau of Statistics, will materially change the general situation that has existed since the beginning of the present crop year. Since August Canada has pretty well dominated the world export market.

For the balance of the crop year, Canada will have two important competitors, Australia and Argentina, in the wheat market, assuming that the United States will not greatly change its present relationship to external markets.

## Keep Douglas' Egyptian Liniment handy.

A sure, speedy remedy for burns, sprains, fevers, blood poisoning, sore throat, earache, cold feet. Invaluable for inflammation and muscular rheumatism.

## Radium in North

Two Grammes Of Precious Mineral From Great Bear Lake District

Two grammes of radium have been extracted from pitchblende found in the north country around Great Bear Lake and will be placed on the market soon, the first Great Bear Lake radium product. This is the report brought to Calgary by E. B. Montgomery and P. Davidson, prominent northland prospectors, who have just completed months of work at Great Bear Lake silver and pitchblende fields.

## Exact Heavy Toll

A toll of 32,500 deaths and injuries to more than 1,000,000 people was exacted by traffic accidents in the United States during 1931. The National conference on street and highway safety estimates the economic loss of the accidents, together with traffic congestion, at more than \$3,000,000,000.

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Eddie Cairns, of Trail, B.C., spent Christmas holidays the guest of Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Morrison.

Elgar Roberts of Calgary spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Robert Evans.



## Wampole's Extract of Cod Liver Oil

for a **Pick Up** after the Flu.

We can recommend this preparation, also

**Syrup Hypophosphates**

**H. C. McBURNEY**

Druggist and Stationer

— See us for —

### McClary Cook-Stoves and Furnaces

Also Coffield Electric Washing Machines

May the New Year favor you with  
Health and Prosperity

**PATTINSON'S HARDWARE STORE**  
Hardware, Electrical Goods, Tools, Etc.



Phone 32 J. M. ALLAN Phone 32

### Flour

Buy the Best—Ogilvie's Royal Household. Prices  
again Reduced. 98 lb sack for \$2.15  
49 lb sack for \$1.10, 24 lb sack for 60c

Butter—You can depend on the Butter you buy  
from us, our stock is always fresh and the  
quality the best. Numaid or Golden  
Meadow, per lb 30c

Ginger Snaps, fresh in, 2 lbs for 25c	Macaroni, 5 lb box, each 30c
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Rolled Oats, Ogilvie's, 8 lb sack for 40c	Wheat Granules, 6 lb sack for 30c
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**Beans** Ontario White, easy to cook, **6 lbs 25c**

Cheese, finest Ontario, 2 lbs for 45c	Lobster, finest quality, per tin 20c and 35c
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Lux Toilet Soap, per dozen 95c	Sunlight Soap, 2 packages for 45c
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**Sugar, B. C. Granulated 10 lbs 65c, 20 lbs \$1.25**

P. G. White Naptha Soap, 23 cakes \$1.00	Plum Jam, hand stoned, Pure, per tin 60c
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Rice, best quality Japan, 3 lbs for 25c	Fry's Cocoa, per tin 25c
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**Tea, A. G. Orange Pekoe. Try it  
with your next order per lb 55c**

Victoria Cross Tea, 3 lbs for \$1.00	Economy Tea, 2 lbs for 75c
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A. G. Jelly Powders, 5 for 25c	A. G. Toilet Rolls, 6 for 25c
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**Tomatoes, Choice Quality, 7 tins \$1.00**  
Solid Pack

### Canned Fruits

Choice Quality, Australian pack. Pears, Peaches and Sliced Pineapple, per tin 25c	
Crushed Pineapple, 2 tins for 45c	

Dealing at our store you get Quality, Service and  
Courtesy along with Better Values for your Money

### Local News

Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Creighton spent  
Christmas with relatives at Lomond.

Jack Williamson of the Bank of  
Commerce staff spent Christmas at  
his home at Lomond.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Houghton of  
Calgary have been spending several  
weeks here.

Miss Annie Yuill spent Christmas  
with friends at Claresholm, and will  
spend New Year holiday with friends  
at Calgary.

Mrs. Fred Brown of Edmonton is  
spending Christmas holidays the guest  
of Mr. and Mrs. Alan Brown, West  
Coleman.

Mr. J. D. Moir, of Little Woody  
Sask., arrived Christmas morning to  
visit his daughter, Mrs. H. T. Hall-  
well.

Miss Gladys Higginbotham came  
home from Youngstown, Alta., where  
she is teaching school, to spend the  
holidays at her home.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Morgan and child-  
ren came up from Pincher Creek to  
spend Christmas with Mrs. Morgan's  
parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. Haysom.

Mr. and Mrs. Steve Machin spent  
Christmas holidays visiting here, re-  
turning to Calgary at the end of the  
week.

The Girl Guides, a party of 24, un-  
der Mrs. Borden, captain, hiked to  
Beck's ranch on Friday, and were  
shown the foxes on Star Creek ranch,  
where there is quite a large number  
of valuable animals. Details of the  
fox industry were explained by Mr.  
McAuley.

Antrobus' Shoe Store announces the  
winners in the coupon competition as fol-  
lows: Mrs. J. McDonald, Mrs. Wymann  
and Mrs. S. Leosky, in the order named.

Dr. and Mrs. McCallum and daugh-  
ter, Marion, of New Dayton, are  
spending Christmas and New Year  
holidays with their daughter, Mrs. L.  
Lindoe, and Mr. Lindoe. Mrs. Puffer  
of Lethbridge, also spent part of the  
holidays with her sister, Mrs. Lindoe.

Constable Simpson, R.C.M.P., came  
from Manyberries, where he is now  
stationed, to spend Christmas holi-  
days. Constable Bailey, now stationed  
at Taber, formerly at Blairmore, also  
spent Christmas with friends in the  
Pass towns.

### ANNOUNCEMENT

Mr. Melville Anderson, of Anderson  
& McLean, sight specialists, Calgary  
announces his next visit, to G. R.  
Powell's, Coleman, on

Tuesday, February 7th

20 years' experience and regular  
visits assure you of satisfaction in all  
optical work.

### ANNOUNCEMENTS

Dr. A. E. Shore, of Drs. Gunn, Hack-  
ney & Shore, Calgary, will be at the  
office of Dr. R. F. Stewart, Blairmore.  
Anyone wishing to consult him with  
regard to eye, ear, nose or throat,  
or to be fitted with glasses, please  
make appointment with Dr. Stewart.  
Watch this paper for announcement of  
date.

### CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING

GRAMOPHONE, Large cabinet, perfect  
condition; about 100 records. Terms ar-  
ranged. Price \$20.00. Apply Journal  
Office.

FOR SALE—1927 Chevrolet Coach in  
good condition. Cheap for cash. Ap-  
ply at Journal Office.

LOST—Slipper and pair of stock-  
ings on Second or Third streets. Find-  
er kindly return to Journal office.

Frank Vejpreva had a close call  
from injury when a truck he was at-  
tempting to drive up a hill at Elko  
caught fire, through the engine becom-  
ing overheated. It was partly loaded,  
and the gas line burst, spraying gaso-  
line over the heated surface of the  
engine. The truck was totally de-  
stroyed.

Coleman contingent swelled the at-  
tendance at the hockey match at  
Blairmore on Tuesday night, thereby  
considerably increasing the gate re-  
ceipts. Every time the Bearcats lose,  
an alibi is forthcoming from their  
supporters. Why not admit that Cole-  
man has a good team this year? Be  
good sports!

— Buy at —

## Easton's Grocery

— You Get More for Your Money

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Sugar, 20 lb sack \$1.25,	10 lb sack 65c
Tomatoes, choice quality, large tins, 3 for	42c
Corn, choice quality, 3 for	42c
Peas, choice quality, size 5, 3 for	42c
Laundry Starch, White Gloss, 2 for	25c
Classic Cleanser, 3 for	25c
Soap Chips, in Bulk, 2 lbs for	25c
Lye, 2 tins for	25c
Spices, all kinds, 3 tins for	25c
Jam, Pure Plum, 4 lb tins, each	49c
Marmalade (King Beach) 40 oz. glass jar	45c
Pork and Beans, per tin	10c
Tea, Blue Ribbon, none better, per lb	45c
Apples, Grapes, Oranges, Cabbage, Turnips and Carrots. All Fresh Stock.	

Pork Chops, 2 lbs 25c	Round Steak, per lb 10c
Leg of Lamb, per lb 12c	Sirloin Steak, 2 lbs 25c
Leg of Lamb, per lb 18c	Boiling Meat, per lb 5c

## Debt Adjustment AND Interest Reduction

by **IMPERIAL OIL LIMITED**  
on accounts owing by *Prairie farmers*  
for products bought in 1929 and 1930

**T**ODAY burdens of debt are disturbing nations  
and individuals and causing fear to weigh heavily  
upon all people. Until fear is overcome and  
employment increased, thereby strengthening prices,  
difficulties will continue to prevail.

Because of this situation the Company has by the  
means at its disposal provided labor and earnings for  
a larger number of people with the twofold object of  
reducing unemployment and strengthening the market  
for agricultural commodities. As a further contribution  
to the improvement of conditions, the Company will  
apply the following plan with regard to the individual  
debts which are owing to it by farmers in the Prairie  
Provinces for products supplied in 1929 and 1930:

### DEFER PAYMENT AND CANCEL INTEREST

- (1) Payment of these debts will be extended over  
a period of five years beginning October 1, 1933,  
with equal annual installments due each October 1.
- (2) The Company hereby undertakes to cancel  
entirely all interest charges on these farm debts  
from the time the goods were purchased until October  
1, 1933, thus very materially reducing each farmer's  
liability to the Company and relieving him in present  
difficult times from further accumulation of debt.

### LOW CARRYING CHARGE

- (3) The Company will carry these accounts on its  
books after October 1, 1933, at a rate of four  
per cent. interest.
- (4) The Company will adjust principal and interest  
payments in direct ratio to the price of wheat  
prevailing on October 1 of each of the five years when  
installments will be due.

- (5) In 1929 and 1930 a large volume of petroleum  
products was supplied on credit because many  
farmers were then unable to pay cash for the fuels and  
oils needed to seed and harvest their crops. In this  
extreme the Company departed from its established  
policy of selling for cash. Otherwise thousands of  
farmers would have been unable to work their land  
and the Company hoped that satisfactory crops and  
prices would restore prosperity to the entire western  
agricultural community. The wheat produced with  
these products was marketed at an approximate average  
price of 70 cents per bushel.

### WHEAT PRICES REGULATE PAYMENT

Taking this price as a basis the Company is prepared  
to extend an adjustment of principal and interest  
whereby the farmers' annual payments will be in the  
same ratio to the amount due as is the price of wheat,  
at the time payment is due, to the price of 70 cents.  
The price upon which adjustment will be made will  
be the price of No. 1 Northern Wheat at Fort  
William at the close of the Winnipeg Grain Exchange  
on October 1 of the year in which payment is due.  
If the price should be below 70 cents, the installment  
due from the farmer will be reduced proportionately.  
On the other hand, should the price be in excess of  
70 cents the installment due will not be thereby  
increased and the farmer will enjoy entirely the added  
benefit of a higher price.

### APPLIES FOR FIVE YEARS

- (6) The same method will apply during the five  
years over which payments are being extended.  
For example: if wheat is 70 cents a bushel or more  
on October 1, 1933, a farmer owing an installment  
of \$63 would pay his installment in full. If, however,  
wheat is 60 cents a bushel on that date his installment  
would be \$54, a saving of \$9. If wheat is 50 cents a  
bushel on that date his installment would be \$45, a  
saving of \$18. Should the price of wheat be below 50  
cents a bushel a reduction in the same ratio will be  
made. This plan includes an arrangement to continue  
the business relationship between this Company and  
its Western farmer customers. A farmer may at any  
time after October 1 next pay his account in part or  
in full and the amount payable will be adjusted on  
the basis of the price of wheat on October 1 preced-  
ing date of payment.

### INDIVIDUAL OBLIGATIONS SMALL

While many thousands of farmers in the west are in  
debts to the Company, the individual obligation is  
not large. The Company has served Western farmers  
from the pioneer days and is proud that since  
petroleum products were first required on the Prairie  
farms it has maintained a continuity of supply at all  
points. In its long dealings with the farmers its  
experience has been that they meet their obligations  
as quickly as their circumstances permit. In view of  
conditions, when through no fault of their own, their  
incomes have been greatly reduced, the Company  
believes that they should be given all possible  
assistance by deferred payment, by low interest  
charges and by prorating their obligations to their  
earning ability.

## IMPERIAL OIL LIMITED

Prairie Divisional Offices at:

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	CALGARY, ALTA.	EDMONTON, ALTA.	